



From the President's Chair.

G'day fellow members, I usually do not write a from the President's chair in this newsletter, but I thought it was necessary to express my concerns about the Association.

Firstly, I must record the passing of two ex 'A' Field Battery members, they are, Phil Haynes and George Godfrey. Phil Haynes was a gun number in the Bty in 1971 in Vietnam, George Godfrey served with the Bty in Malaysia, 1965 -1967, when we came home from Malaysia and I was promoted to S/sgt BQMS in 19 Comp Regt, George became my Tech Bdr, he was still there when I left for 12 Fd Regt. I can tell you a lot of stories about George, ask me some time. Both Phil and George were not members of the Assn, and as such do not go into the memorial page.

Now for the nasty stuff.

Firstly, I was most dismayed and upset with the number that turned up for the reunion, we just had a quorum, under Incorporation we must have double the committee plus one, we have seven members on the committee, so we had to have 15 members, we had 16.

With a membership of over 200 members, I think this is an appalling result. The time it takes to organise a reunion and it is not like I am around the corner from Sawtell, I live in Mackay, 1100 kilometres north of Brisbane, and all we get is 27 people turn up, this included wives. The people, who did come along, thoroughly enjoyed themselves, especially the bus trip. The Annual General Meeting was a disaster, Robert Cunningham and myself were supposed to stand down and we were to get a new President and Treasurer, but we were ambushed to stay for a



further 12 months. Gentlemen unless we get people to stand for committee positions, as six of the seven members are over seventy, Bob had his 79 birthday on the 24th October and I turn 80 on the 17th December. It would also make a big difference, if people came to the reunions.

If we do not get the response of our members, then I will call the current committee members together and ask them to give me the authority to close the 'A' Field Battery Association Inc; down, and all our money transferred to the Royal Australian Artillery Association. This will be a last resort, but the current committee cannot keep going forever. As most of you know I served with the Bty for fourteen and a half, years, and this is the last thing that I wish to happen.

The reunion next year is supposed to be in Brisbane, but unless someone steps up to the plate and organises a committee from our Brisbane members, then I cannot see us having a reunion, we will have to have just an AGM somewhere.

Finally, we still have 37 members who have not renewed their annual subs for 1016/2017, well over half are members who joined at the Brisbane reunion of the late 80's early 90's 'A' Bty members. Please, if you do not know if you are financial, give me a ring and I can verify this,

Gentlemen, I hope this is an awakening call, and you all support your Association, remember you are members of the most distinguished Battery in the Australian Defence Force and all other Gunners wished they had been in 'A' Battery.

Ron Bassan President/Secretary



Thanks to Vince Greck for these wonderful professional quality photographs taken at our Annual General Meeting at Sawtell and bus trip to Glenreagh





President's Report for 2015 – 2016

Members; once again it is with a heavy heart that I must report on the passing of eight of our old and bold members, and they are Leslie (Squizzy) Taylor, Brig. (Retd) Don Weir CBE, John Knight, Ron Hart, Harry Cook, Kevin Mitchell, Don Donkin and Normie Mills. I will not go into their history, as this was done from the President's Chair in our newsletters, may they all rest in peace at that big gun park up in the sky, LEST WE FORGET.

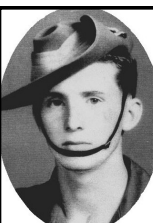
I said in my last President's Report that this year was my last, as I get my OBE on the 17th December, and it is time for some younger blood, I will stay on as Secretary if we cannot get a new Secretary, but I will need a minutes secretary to continue. I have been president for the last thirteen years, which has been a great honour that you the members have had the confidence in me to continue for so long. It was a privilege for me as the attachment to 'A' Battery stems from serving in the one Bty for so long, fourteen and a half years, and going from a Gunner Driver to Staff Sergeant, BQMS.

I was thinking the other day of some of the notable things that the association has achieved while I have been president, the first and most important was the joining of the N.S.W. and Qld Association's together and making our organization a truly national body and producing a national newsletter, four times a year. The second was the laying of the 'A' Field Battery plaque at the National War Memorial, Canberra, and site 104. This procedure was started by John Smith and we had Maj Gen John Whitelaw and Col Peter Seddon unveil the plaque. We had representatives from all the Regiment's attend this service.

The production of the book by Don Sinclair on the Bty's time in Malaya, 1957 – 1959, during the Malayan Emergency was another notable occasion.

The reunion in Sydney at the Manly/Warringa Leagues Club and the reunion for the Vietnam Veterans' at this venue, Sawtell.

We applied for and got grants from the Department of Veterans' Affairs for all of the above



events.

The purchase of our 25pr gun and restoration. The gifting of the L5, Pack Howitzer from Mackay RSL Sub Branch. I must commend Don Sinclair for the work that he has put into the Assn, being Property Officer for so long, producing DVD's and CD's for these events, the work that he has done on our two guns with the help of Bob Cunningham and our RAEME boys, Butch Slaughter and Dick Morrison.

We are purchasing three new banners for the Association, one each in Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne. Additional battle honours are being added and they are, Timor Leste and Afghanistan. I asked for donations towards the purchase of these banners and to date we have had three notable donations, \$150.00 from Paul Clough (Who incidentally was our Pay Corporal, Service Corps) \$400.00 from Koko and Dee Bostock and \$80.00 from David Gibson, thank you Paul, Koko and Dee, and David.

Our strength at the moment is; 128 Life Members, 27 Financial 16/17, 41unfinancial 15/16 and 5 for 14/15, total 201. If you are a yearly subscriber and have not paid your subs for 16/17, Please do so ASP. I was just checking the records and since I have been President, we have lost forty four members. We desperately need younger ex members and serving members of 'A' Bty to join our organization and take Committee positions.

'A' Battery is now one hundred and forty five years old, I am looking forward to their 150th celebrations, I wonder if they will go to Sydney and exercise their right of entry to the City as they did for their 125th birthday. I hope I will still be around.

I would like to thank all the people who have assisted me during my 13 years as President, and they are Ray Alcorn, Bob Cunningham, Brian Czulowski, Greg Kittelty, Ian Leven, Brian Miller and Don Sinclair. Also Bonnie, my wife as Secretary, when she was alive. Thank you all.

Thank you all for your support over the years.

‘A’ Field Battery Association Inc. Annual General Meeting 2016

Annual General Meeting: The Annual General Meeting was held at the Sawtell RSL Club Ltd; Sawtell, New South Wales, on the 10th September 2016.

Meeting Opened:

Present:

Apologies: Brian Armour, Norman Bostock, Alvin Conacher, Peter Kimball, Robert Noonan, Brian Privett, Don Spearpoint, Peter Walton, Paul Forsyth, Clive Connor, Doug Hazelwood, Rod Althaus and Barry Campbell.

Public Liability Insurance: The Members were informed that under the Queensland Incorporation Act Rules, we do not have to hold Public Liability Insurance.

Departed Comrades: Leslie (Squizzy) Taylor, Brig. Don Weir CBE, John Knight, Ron Hart, Harry Cook, Kevin Mitchell Don Donkin and Normie Mills.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: The minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting which was held at the Sawtell RSL Club Ltd; New South Wales, on the 12th September 2015, were read by the Minutes Secretary, Mr Ray Alcorn and were confirmed as a true and accurate record by _____, seconded by Mr _____ and carried.

Business Arising from Minutes: Discussed as read.

Inward and Outward Correspondence: The Inward and Outward Correspondence were read by the Minutes Secretary, Mr Ray Alcorn. It was moved by _____ that the inward correspondence be received and outward correspondence be endorsed, seconded by _____ and carried.

Business Arising from Correspondence: Discussed as read.

Treasurer’s Report: The Treasurer, Mr Robert Cunningham, presented the Audited Report, which is attached. The Treasurer moved that his Audited Report be received, seconded by _____ and carried.

President’s Report: The President Mr Ron Bassan presented his report, which is attached. Mr Ron Bassan moved that his report be received, seconded by _____ and carried.

Positions Vacant. The President declared all positions vacant and asked if it would be a show of hands or a secret ballot. It was resolved for a show of hands. Mr Bassan asked Mr _____ to take the chair and conduct the election of President.

Voting Positions. President. It was proposed by Mr _____ That Mr _____ be President. Seconded by Mr _____ Mr _____ accepted. There being no further nominations, Mr _____ declared that Mr _____ was elected President Mr _____ took the chair and thanked Mr _____ and continued with the election of positions.

Vice President’s. Secretary. Assistant Secretary. Treasurer. Committee Members.

Non-Voting Positions. Editor. Assistant Editor. Liaison Officer (Qld) Liaison Officer (NSW)
Liaison Officer (ACT) Liaison Officer (Vic) Liaison Officer (Tas) Liaison Officer S.A.)
Liaison Officer (W.A.) Liaison Officer (N.T.)
Webmaster. Assistant Webmaster.

Auditor Advocate. Patron.

General Business.

The President stated that general business should pertain to a General Meeting.

Meeting Closed.

‘A’ Field Battery Association RAA, Inc.

Committee Meeting: The meeting was held at the Sawtell RSL Club Ltd., at Sawtell, New South Wales, on Saturday 10 September 2016.

Meeting Opened: The meeting was opened by the President Mr Ron Bassan at 1304 hours.

Present: Mr. R Bassan, Mr. R Cunningham, Mr. Ian Leven, Mr. R Alcorn, Mr. Greg Kittelty and Mr. V Greck.

Apologies: Nil

Minutes: The minutes of the previous meeting which was held at Ray and Lorraine Alcorn's residence at 14 Lambourn Street Chapel Hill Queensland, on Wednesday 8 June 2016, was read by the Assistant Secretary Mr. Ray Alcorn. Confirmed by Mr. V Greck and seconded by Mr. G Kittelty and carried.

Inward and Outward Correspondence: The Inwards and Outwards correspondence was read by the Assistant Secretary, Mr. Ray Alcorn. It was moved by Mr. V Greck and seconded by Mr. Ian Leven that the inwards correspondence is received and the outwards correspondence be endorsed. Carried

Business Arising: Discussed as read.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer Mr. R Cunningham presented his report and it is attached. The Treasurer requested that the following cheques be passed for payment: 767048 - 767049 - 767050 - 767051 - 767052. The Treasurer moved that the payments be approved and the report be received. Seconded by Mr. Ray Alcorn and carried.

General Business:

Banners. Mr. Greck to investigate banners made in NSW on screen printing and report back to the Committee as a matter of urgency. Much discussion took place in regard to the new banners.

AGM. A discussion took place regarding the next AGM to be held in Brisbane. There is a need to investigate Accommodation, A Battery activities, RSL rooms and entertainment.

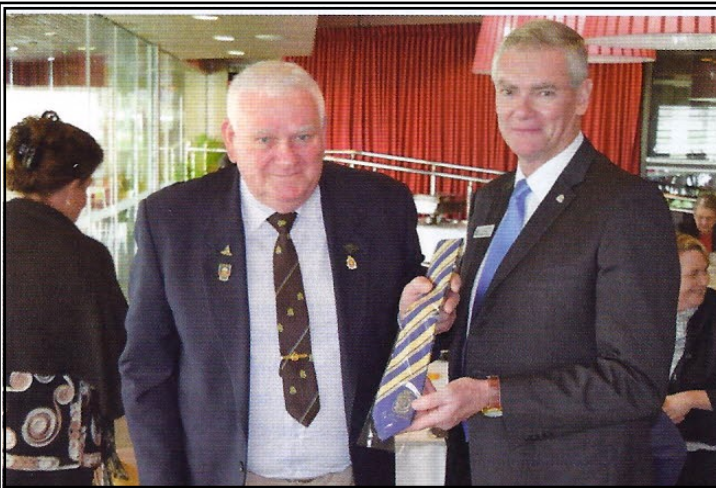
Next Committee Meeting. The next meeting is to be held at Ian and Wendy Levens' residence at 76 Dolphin Drive, West Ballina, New South Wales, 2475, on a date to be advised. Timings to adhere to Daylight Saving Time at 1100 hours commencement.

Business Cards. Mr Greck moved that the Association pay for the Committees business cards. Seconded by Mr. Ray Alcorn and carried.

Meeting Closed: There being no further business the President closed the meeting at 1435 hours.

Assistant Secretary

President



Life Membership Awarded to Ron Bassan

Farleigh and Northern Beaches RSL Sub Branch member Ronald Bassan was presented with Life Membership by RSL, Queensland Branch State President Stewart Cameron

Treasurer Bob Cunningham's Report

This financial year we have experienced our slowest movement on record, activities in five months on the expense side of our ledger and two months nil activity on our income side. However, our operating account balance of \$5,313.64 is in line with expectations and around average to meet our normal running costs.

Our two investment accounts total \$34,368.59, which is quite healthy and will provide a buffer to meet our future needs when our running costs start to exceed our income from member subscriptions and merchandise sales. Looking to the future, it will be essential for new members to be found who will remain financial members in the years to come.

As advised in our February Newsletter, on Christmas Day last year David (Banger) Harris suffered a stroke, thankfully he survived but is no longer capable of being our Auditor, his knowledge and advice will be greatly missed.

After countless phone calls and polite refusals we have employed the services of a Registered Auditor. It comes at a considerable cost of \$500 plus GST \$50, totalling \$550.00. So between now and the end of next financial year, we are looking for a cheaper alternative.

Any member who knows someone who could take on this task would be greatly appreciated.

Once again our thanks to those members for their generous donations, which is a great help in making our AGM reunion, dinner and other functions a success. Our books are always open for any members who wish to view our accounts which include income and expenses, bank statements, stock reports, assets, balance sheet and audit report.

Finally, due to family and health issues I will not accept nomination for Treasurer in the next committee. If there are no nominations for the position I will remain in a caretaker role until the position can be filled. My thanks to our President, Committee and Members, for their support over the past 1-0 years, 9 of which as Treasurer. It has been a great experience, but it is now time to step aside for new ideas and energy to take up the challenge of the future. Once again thank you.

R Cunningham

Treasurer

10th. September, 2016

A' FIELD BATTERY ASSN. INC. <i>Annual Statement of Income & Expenses</i> 1st JULY 2015 - 30th JUNE 2016					
<u>Last Year</u>			<u>This Year</u>		
Balance 1 July 2014		\$6,025.80	Balance 1 July 2015		\$5,166.93
Income	\$1,640.00		Annual Fees	\$1,000.00	
	\$1,600.00		Life Subscriptions	\$800.00	
	\$310.00		Shirts	\$105.00	
	\$15.00		Caps	\$200.20	
			Badges		
	\$24.00		Name Tags		
			Stickers	\$18.00	
			Plaque	\$256.00	
			"A" Batt Book	\$20.00	
			"A" Batt CD & DVD		
			Postage Merchandise		
	\$375.00		Merchandise General		
	\$286.00		Donations	\$159.90	
	\$234.00		Bus/Boat Trips		
	\$0.59		AGM Dinner	\$5,588.00	
			Term Deposit	\$1,000.00	
			Interest - S21 Account	\$0.52	
		\$4,484.59	TOTAL INCOME		\$9,147.62
Expenses	\$800.00		July/Aug. Exp	\$1,243.90	
	\$328.21		Sept/Nov. Exp	\$7,007.56	
	\$400.00		Dec/May. Exp	\$506.00	
	\$322.70		June. Exp	\$243.45	
	\$492.55				
	\$3,000.00				
		\$5,343.46	TOTAL EXPENSES		\$9,000.91
Balance 30th June 2015		\$5,166.93	Balance 30th June 2016		\$5,313.64
	\$5,166.93		Bank Operating Account	\$5,313.64	
	\$19,804.83		Term Deposit 491118 LSF	\$23,418.44	
	\$14,600.44		Term Deposit 526411 FPF	\$10,950.15	
	\$100.00		Petty Cash	\$100.00	
	\$39,672.20		Total Available Funds	\$39,782.23	

Treasurer Bob Cunningham's Report

"A" Field Battery Assn. Inc.			
BALANCE SHEET			
Financial Year			
1st July 2015 to 30th June 2016			
Last Year			This Year
2014 - 2015			2015 - 2016
\$43,983.91	MEMBERS FUNDS		\$43,763.71
	Represented by :-		
	CURRENT ASSETS		
\$100.00		Petty cash	\$100.00
\$5,166.93		Bank S21 account	\$5,313.64
\$34,405.27		Investment Accounts	\$34,368.59
\$2,654.81		Sales Stock at Cost	\$2,181.88
\$42,327.01			\$41,964.11
	NON CURRENT ASSETS		
\$1,117.00		Banners at Cost	\$1,117.00
\$250.00		25 Pr Gun at Cost	\$250.00
\$450.00		L5 Pac How. at Cost	\$450.00
\$154.90		Sony Recorder & Mic	\$154.90
\$1,971.90			\$1,971.90
\$44,298.91	TOTAL ASSETS		\$43,936.01
	Less :-		
	CURRENT LIABILITIES		
\$0.00		Creditors	\$0.00
\$234.00		AGM Prepayments	\$162.00
\$81.00		Petty Cash Refund	\$10.30
\$315.00	TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$172.30

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Director:
Mr Bevin Schafferius CA
Consultant:
Mr Phillip Fitzgerald FCA

"A" FIELD BATTERY ASSOCIATION INC.**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF "A" FIELD BATTERY ASSOCIATION INC.**

I have examined the financial records of the "A" Field Battery Association Inc. (the association) for the year ended 30 June 2016 and the financial records show that the association has bookkeeping processes in place to adequately record the association's income and expenditure and dealings with its assets and liabilities.

Integrated Audit Pty Ltd


Bevin Schafferius CA
Director

Fortitude Valley, August 2016

French, John Alexander (Jack) (1914–1942)

by Anthony Staunton

John Alexander "Jack" French, VC (15 July 1914 – 4 September 1942) was an Australian recipient of the Victoria Cross, the highest award for gallantry in the face of the enemy that can be awarded to British and Commonwealth forces. French was one of 20 Australians to receive the award for their actions during the Second World War. He was killed in action fighting against the Japanese during the Battle of Milne Bay in September 1942 while serving with the 2/9th Battalion.

French was born on 15 July 1914 in Crows Nest, north of Toowoomba in Queensland. His parents were Lucy (née Donaldson) and Albert French. His father was a hairdresser who had moved to the Crows Nest area from Tenterfield, New South Wales, while his mother had originally come from Charleville, Queensland.

In his formative years, French had a reputation as a good sportsman, excelling particularly at rugby league. He was also known for his sense of fair play, with one of his childhood friends, Alf Blinco, recounting the story of how French had exonerated him when he had been falsely accused of stealing by finding the real perpetrators.

At age six, French attended the Crows Nest State Primary School, continuing his schooling there until 1928 when he gained a scholarship to further his education by successfully passing a scholarship examination. After this, French attended the Toowoomba State High School and Toowoomba Technical College. In 1929, after completing his schooling, he joined his father's business, commencing an apprenticeship.

After the outbreak of the Second World War, French enlisted in the Second Australian Imperial Force on 22 October 1939, the first in Crows Nest to do so. As a Queenslanders, French was posted to the 2/9th Battalion, the first infantry battalion raised in Queensland during the war. After completing training at Redbank, Queensland, in early May 1940, the 2/9th Battalion, received orders to deploy overseas. Embarking upon the *Mauritania*, they sailed to the United Kingdom where the battalion formed part of an Australian contingent – part of the 6th Division – that were to help defend against a possible invasion following the fall of France. The invasion did not eventuate and in late 1940, the battalion – along with the rest of the 18th Brigade – were transferred to the Middle East. They reached Alexandria in late December and shortly after arrival, the battalion became part of the 7th Division.

In March 1941, the 2/9th took part in their first combat action, successfully capturing the Italian fort of Giarabub. The battalion then joined the garrison at Tobruk as it was surrounded by German forces, taking part in several actions before being withdrawn in August. They briefly trained in Palestine before being sent to Syria, where they undertook garrison duties following the capitulation of Vichy French forces. French was promoted to corporal in December.



John Alexander French (1914–1942),

In early 1942, in response to the growing threat posed by Japan's entry into the war following the attacks on Pearl Harbor and Malaya, the 2/9th Battalion, along with the rest of the 7th Division, was brought back to Australia. At this time they were eventually granted seven days' leave, and French returned to Australia and Crows Nest. This leave was the final time his family saw him alive. This was followed by further training as the Australian Army reorganised for jungle warfare, before the 2/9th were committed to the fighting against the Japanese in New Guinea. In late August 1942, the 2/9th Battalion was deployed to the Milne Bay area of New Guinea. The Japanese were advancing south along the Kokoda Track and Allied intelligence had predicted an attack around Milne Bay.

In early September, the battalion took part in heavy fighting after the Japanese landed a force to capture the Allied airfields situated there. It was during this fighting that French performed the deeds that led to him being awarded the Victoria Cross. The citation for French's VC award reads as follows:

At Milne Bay New Guinea, on the afternoon of 4 September 1942, a company of Australian Infantry battalion attacked a Japanese position where it encountered terrific rifle and machine-gun fire. The advance of the section, of which Corporal French was in command, was held up by fire from three enemy machine-gun posts, whereupon Corporal French, ordering his section to take cover, advanced and silenced one of the posts with grenades. He returned to his section for more grenades and again advanced and silenced the second post. Armed with a Thompson sub-machine gun, he then attacked the third post, firing from the hip as he went forward.

He was seen to be badly wounded by fire from this post, but he continued to advance. Enemy guns then ceased fire and his section pushed on to find that all the members of the three enemy gun crews had been killed, and that Corporal French had died in front of the third gun pit. By his cool courage and disregard of his own personal safety, this non-commissioned officer saved members of his section from heavy casualties and was responsible for the successful conclusion of the attack.

The fighting around Milne Bay eventually resulted in Japanese withdrawal, and represented the first full-scale defeat of the Japanese on land during the war. Although French's Victoria Cross was gazetted first, his award was actually the second for actions on Australian territory (due to Papua New Guinea being under Australian Government jurisdiction), as Bruce Kingsbury received his VC for actions near Isurava on the Kokoda Track on 29 August 1942. French is buried at the Bomana War Cemetery at Port Moresby. He was survived by his fiancée Dulcie McCahon. Two of his brothers also served during the war: Eric in the Army and Gordon, who was killed in action in August 1943 in Europe, in the Royal Australian Air Force.

Sadly George Godfrey passed away recently
15243 Godfrey George
Born 11th. January 1941

Enlisted 8th. June 1959 Served as Gunner with A Field
Battery Malaysia in 1965 - 1967 Discharged 3rd
September 1981 as WO 2

We also recognise the sad passing of Phillip
Haynes who was with the Battery during 1971
in Vietnam.

The editor received
 this note of thanks
 from Ivy Cook :

I would
like to thank the
"A" Field
Battery
members for
their sympathy
on losing Harry.
Regards from
Ivy Cook



Noel Harold Cook.
14th. December 1936
– 3rd May 2016

The information below is the sad story on the passing of Kevin Mitchell, told by his friend Ron Bassan



Lining up for the march are Brian Czulowski, Don Donkin, Brian Privett, Max Vandyke, Kevin Mitchell, John
Glidden, Tom Banfield, Darnien Hill, Barry Campbell and John Smith.

28516. Kevin Mitchell

Kevin was a member of the Battery at Georges Heights, Sydney 1954/56.

Kevin was posted from the Battery as a reinforcement to 105 Battery, Malaya, he stayed with 105 until his discharge in 1960.

I have known Kevin since we were children, we went to the same High School, Gosford High, and I was supposed to wait for Kevin until he turned seventeen and then both of us join the Army together, he joined soon after I did as his number was 28516 and mine was 28502.

Kevin Mitchell's funeral was held on Thursday 8th. August, at the Palmdale Lawn Cemetery, 57 Palmdale Rd, Palmdale, NSW.

Condolences can be sent to Mrs Shirley Mitchell, 10 Cottonwood Court, Mardi, NSW, 2259



They shall not grow old,
As we that are left grow old.
Age shall not weary them,
Nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun,
And in the morning,
We will remember them.
Lest we forget.



KEN. AGNEW
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RICHARD. DUGGAN
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Malaya)
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In Memory of Our Departed Comrades

This page is to pay tribute, as we honour those members of A Field Battery who have passed away but are by no means forgotten. We remember them as friends and comrades in happy and sad times. Most of them we knew as young soldiers and others, in later years developed a close friendship as we grew older

If you know of a departed A Field Battery member who is not listed here, please contact us and we will update the list. Thank you.

“A” Field Battery Association Inc, Committee 2015 – 2016

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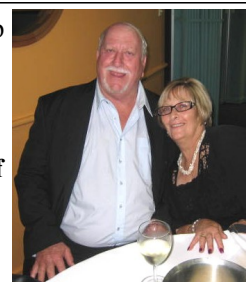
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